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MEMBER OF UNDP MINERALS RESEARCH TEAM HAS TOLD EMBASSY OF A RUMOR CURRENT AMONG BURUNDI OFFICIALS, AND REPORTEDLY BELIEVED BY HEAD OF MINERALS TEAM AS WELL, THAT MAURICE TEMPELSMAN, THE AMERICAN ENTERPRENEUR WHO HAS BEEN LEADING EFFORTS TO ORGANIZE A BURUNDI NICKEL CONSORTIUM, IS PULLING OUT. WE HAVE NO INFORMATION TO SUBSTANTIATE SUCH A RUMOR AND ARE INCLINED NOT TO GIVE IT CREDENCE, BUT WOULD APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT'S VERIFICATION SO AS TO INFORM MINERALS TEAM (AMBASSADOR MARK MAY WISH APPRISE TEMPELSMAN OF THIS RUMOR DURING HIS CONSULTATIONS IN NEW YORK, IF NOT ALREADY COMPLETED).
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